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EGGS IN INCUBATORS DECEMBER 1

The turkey eggs in incubators on December 1, 1986, totaled 21.0 million, 17 percent above the 17.9 million a year earlier, according to the Agricultural Statistics Board.

POULTS PLACED DURING NOVEMBER

The 13.8 million poults placed during November 1986 in the United States were 9 percent above the placements during the same month a year ago.

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TURKEY HATCHERY PRODUCTION

MONTHLY POULT PLACEMENTS WITHIN UNITED STATES 1/

MONTH	TOTAL ALL BREEDS		PERCENT OF PREVIOUS YEAR	CUMULATIVE TOTAL		PERCENT OF PREVIOUS YEAR
	1985-86	1986-87		1985-86	1986-87	
	THOUSANDS		PERCENT	THOUSANDS		PERCENT
SEP	10,661	13,622	128	10,661	13,622	128
OCT	12,451	14,174	114	23,112	27,796	120
NOV	12,648	13,836	109	35,760	41,632	116
DEC	14,448			50,208		
JAN	17,204			67,412		
FEB	18,642			86,054		
MAR	20,722			106,776		
APR	23,011			129.787		
MAY	24,247			154,034		
JUN	23,572			177,606		
JUL	22,286			199,892		
AUG	16,405			216,297		

ALL TURKEYS

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION	EGGS IN INCUBATORS DEC 1		PERCENT OF PREVIOUS YEAR	POULTS PLACED DURING NOV 1/		PERCENT OF PREVIOUS YEAR
	1985	1986		1985	1986	
	THOUSANDS		PERCENT	THOUSANDS		PERCENT
N ATLANTIC	292	340	116	229	208	91
E N CENTRAL	2,321	1,677	72	1,649	1,075	65
W N CENTRAL	4,775	6,844	143	3,573	4,097	115
S ATLANTIC	6,128	6,795	111	4,439	4,723	106
S CENTRAL	2,002	2,245	112	1,364	1,496	110
WEST	2,399	3,054	127	1,394	2,237	160
U S	17,917	20,955	117	12,648	13,836	109

1/ EXCLUDES EXPORTED POULTS.